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TAGS: PFOR, CSCE, YO

SUBJECT: CSCE/CBM'S: NOTIFIED MANEUVERS WITHOUT

-- OBSERVERS

REF: BELGRADE 5296

1. WHILE RECEIPT OF NOTIFICATION OF MANEUVERS WITHOUT  
INVITATION TO OBSERVERS PRESENTS A PROBLEM, WE BELIEVE  
WE SHOULD DEAL WITH THIS IN A STRAIGHTFORWARD WAY.

2. YUGOSLAVS MAY HAVE CONSIDERED INVITING OBSERVERS IN  
THE CBM CONTEXT AND DECIDED AGAINST SUCH INVITATIONS FOR  
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PRACTICAL REASONS, SINCE PROTOCOLARY AND ADMINISTRATIVE

PROBLEMS ARE NUMEROUS IN THIS FIELD.

3. ALTHOUGH TIME IS SHORT EMBASSY MAY WISH TO INQUIRE  
WHETHER YUGOSLAVS WOULD OBJECT TO US OBSERVERS IN ROUTINE  
FASHION OUTSIDE THE CSCE/CBM CONTEXT.

4. IF ANSWER IS NEGATIVE, WE CONCUR IN NOT OBSERVING  
FIRST NOTIFIED MANEUVER COVERTLY. WE DO NOT VIEW THIS AS  
A PRECEDENT CONNECTED WITH OUR CSCE OBLIGATIONS NOR DO WE  
PLAN AT THIS TIME TO DISCUSS THIS WITH THE ALLIES. INGERSOLL

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